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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS

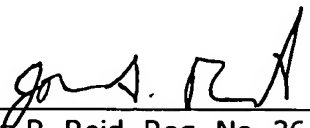
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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2), notification is hereby given of the loss of entitlement to small entity status of the Assignee, SPI Lasers UK Limited. This notification is being filed at the time of payment of the issue fee, which is after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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